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OPERATING A MICROREACTOR AT  
HIGH PRESSURE

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**PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.181(a) FOR  
WITHDRAWAL OF A HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT**

Sir:

An Office Action was mailed on February 23, 2006 in the above-identified application. Applicant responded with an Amendment filed, together with the requisite request for extension of time, on August 23, 2006. It now appears that the USPTO has no record of having received the Amendment filed August 23, 2006, as Applicant has received a Notice of Abandonment (mailed October 25, 2006).

Applicant hereby petitions for withdrawal of the holding of abandonment and for entry of the Amendment filed August 23, 2006.

**1. Petition fee**

Applicant believes that no fee is required for the present petition. Should Applicant be in error, please charge the required fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3325. A duplicate copy of this petition is attached.

**2. Statement.**

The undersigned states from personal knowledge that the documents attached hereto are faithful copies of the Amendment, Request for Extension, and post card mailed together with sufficient postage and in the manner and on the date shown in the Certificate of Mailing signed by the undersigned, and found on the first page of the Amendment. Accordingly, it is respectfully submitted that the holding of abandonment

of the above-entitled application should be withdrawn, and that the Amendment previously filed should be entered for further consideration.

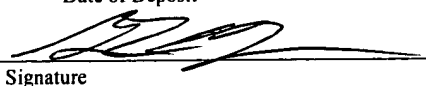
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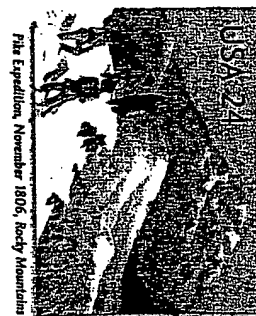
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